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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the Patent Office acknowledge the receipt of the Information Disclosure Statements filed on December 6, 2007 and January 4, 2008 for the above-referenced application. At applicant's request, the Examiner initialed the U.S. and foreign patent documents but failed to initial the NPL documents in both IDS's. It is noted that English translations of the NPL documents were filed with the Patent Office. For the convenience of the Patent Office, copies of the Forms PTO/SB/08a are enclosed. It is respectfully requested that fully initialed copies of the PTO/SB/08a be returned to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted.

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